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HOUSE BILL 853

49TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 2009

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AN ACT

RELATING TO STATE PARKS; CLARIFYING THE DUTY OF THE STATE
TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION TO REPAIR AND MAINTAIN STATE PARK
ROADS, BRIDGES AND PARKING AREAS.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. Section 67-3-14 NMSA 1978 (being Laws 1912,
Chapter 54, Section 2, as amended) is amended to read:

"67-3-14. STATE TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION--POWERS AND
DUTIES--ROAD FUNDS.--

A. The state transportation commission has charge
of all policy matters pertaining to the expenditure of the
state road fund in the construction, improvement and
maintenance of state highways and bridges in the state.

B. The state transportation commission may also
make rules and regulations governing the method of

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1 construction, improvement and maintenance of state highways and
2 bridges and compel compliance with the laws, rules and
3 regulations relating to state highways and bridges. Except as
4 provided in Section 67-3-19 NMSA 1978, the commission shall
5 have no duty to maintain or supervise the maintenance of roads
6 that are not designated state highways or bridges.

7 C. The secretary shall have authority to expend
8 state road funds and use state forces and equipment in an
9 amount not to exceed ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) for the
10 purpose of restoring and preserving the public safety and
11 welfare in any emergency involving a threat of injury to lives
12 or property within areas under the control of the state or
13 local governmental bodies."

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